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House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

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Chairwoman Granger
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20510

Ranking Member DeLauro House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth House Office Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Boys and Girls Club Expansion Project in fiscal year 2024. This entity to receive funding for this project is the Boys and Girls Club of Newburgh, NY, located at 285 Liberty Street, Newburgh, NY 12550. This funding would be used to expand their facilities by creating community centers for toddlers and teens; these centers would be used for workforce development and as a gathering space for the community. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because 80% of students in the Newburgh Enlarged City School District have failed to meet New York Standards in English and Math. This Boys and Girls Club has had a track record of supporting students to improve school readiness and helping young people become productive, caring, and responsible citizens.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5035(a)(2).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone else in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Patrick K. Ryan

Member of Congress